

Troopers Investigating an Explosion at Punkin Chunkin Contest

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Bridgeville, DE— Delaware State Police are currently investigating the explosion of an apparatus which was being utilized in the Punkin Chunkin Contest this afternoon in Bridgeville.

The initial investigation has determined that the incident occurred at approximately 2:45 p.m. this afternoon at the contest held at 18598 Apple Tree Road, Bridgeville. As a result of the explosion, one person has died. It is unknown if there were any other injuries at this time.

The investigation into this incident is in its very early stages. **More information will be released as it is made available.**

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